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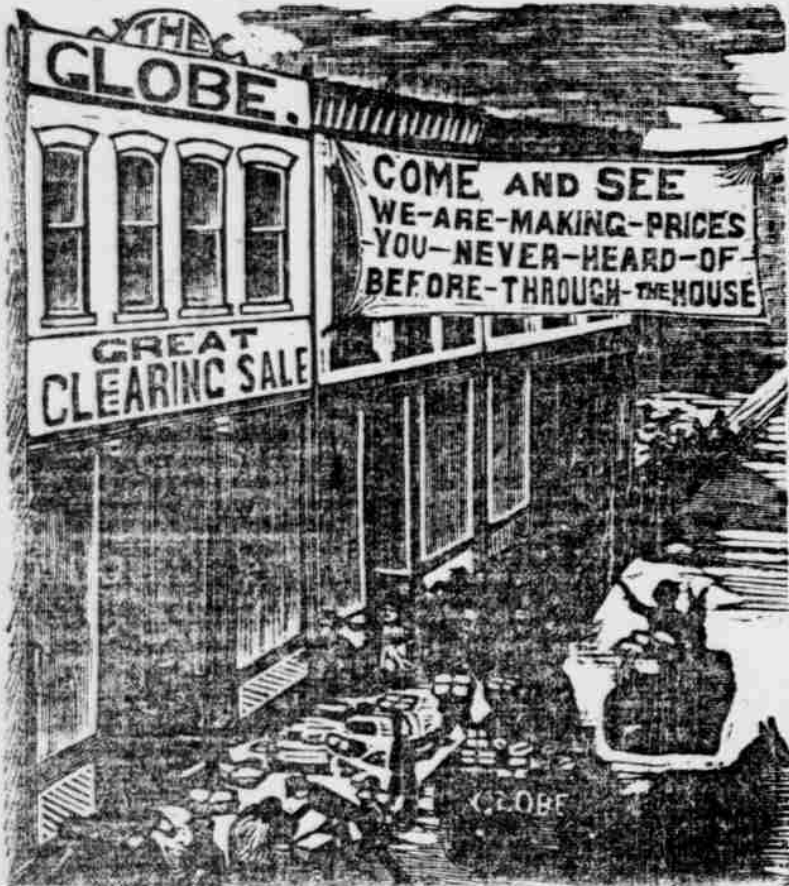
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## GLOBE'S

GRAND ANNUAL

# CLEARING SALE!



Commences tomorrow and continues until all winter goods are gone. Our stock taking time is now at hand and instead of invoicing the goods we prefer to invoice the cash.

Every article in our store will be reduced. The opportunity is now at hand for you to buy reliable goods at slaughtering prices. Do you intend to buy any dry goods? If so come and see what prices we are making. Our rule is to do what we advertise. We pay for this space and expect to receive returns and do what you advertise will bring its correct benefit. Come and see.

One dollar in our store will go a great way. Come and see.

Our entire stock will be marked down, different departments different reductions. The few prices we quote will be samples of prices we are making in these departments.

### CLOAKS.

Prices the manufacturers could not make at.

This wrap, like cut, in plush, braid trimming, fur trimming and ball trimming, former price \$15, 20, 22, 25. Clearing price

**\$10.98.**

This wrap, like cut, in cloth, fur or braid trimming, in black or brown. Former price \$5.48, 6.48, 7.48, 8.00. Clearing price

**\$3.98.**

Overcoats for boys, worth \$5, 6 and 7; ages 5, 6, 7 and 8 years. Clearing price

**\$2.98.**

Newmarkets, long cloaks, clearing price one-third off former price, and on some we give one-half off former price. We have a good many cloaks and very hard to give the exact price on paper. These are only sample prices.

Jackets, black and colors, all sizes. Clearing price on some one-fourth off, on some one-third off, and on some one-half off former price. Don't you think our cloaks will be marked cheap enough.

### DRESS GOODS.

Our entire stock of dress goods including silks, satins, plushes, trimmings, henriettes, cashmeres, worsteds, flannels, plaids and stripes. Everything in this department will be sacrificed at

**1-4 off Former Price.**

Our linen stock, including table linens, bleached and unbleached, red napkins of all kinds towels, crash and Irish linens all will go at

**1-5 off Former Price**

### Gents Underwear.

We have most any kind you want, and to tell you all in a nutshell:

On gents and boys underwear one-fourth and one-third off former price.  
On colored percale shirts one-third off former price.  
On white laundered shirts one-fifth off former price.  
On flannel shirts one-fourth off former price.  
On gents' gloves one-fourth off former price.  
On gents' suspenders one-fourth off former price.  
On gents' neckwear and hosiery one-fourth off former price.

### Lad's Furnishing Goods

Ladies and childrens underwear, one-fifth off former price.  
Ladies and childrens hosiery, clearing price one-fifth off former price.

Mufflers, clearing price, one-fourth, one-fifth and one-third off former price.  
Handkerchiefs, clearing price will be one-fifth, one-fourth and one-third off former price.  
Ruching, clearing price one-third off former price.  
Toboggans, clearing price one-half off regular price.  
Jewelry, clearing price one-third off former price.  
Shawls, blankets and comforts, one-fourth off former price.

Toys, dolls, albums, games, colognes, vases, classware, plush goods, wagons. Clearing price

**1-2 and 1-3 off FORMER PRICE.**

STAPLES—Such as calicoes, denims, muslins, sheetings, ginghams, cotton flannels, red flannels, white flannels.

**1-8 off Former Price**

Silk thread, black, one-fifth off former price.  
Silk twist, black, one-fifth off former price.

### WASHINGTON.

A DEARTH OF NEWS FROM THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

The Opponents of Financial Legislation of Any Kind Said to be Gaining Ground.

Discovery of a Combination Between American Consuls and Canadian Exporters to Swindle Uncle Sam.

An Order from the Agricultural Department Requiring the Inspection of Live Stock from Canada—The Number of Pension Claims Filed to Date—Notes.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Eighteen senators, with the vice president, assembled at noon today in the senate chamber. The chaplain prayed, and then, on motion of Mr. Hoar, the senate adjourned. The program previously arranged had been carried out, and the senate, which had refused to take the usual holiday recess, adjourned without transacting business.

There was not a committee meeting on the part of the senate today, and as but one committee member of the finance committee (Senator Hise) was at the capital, there was not even a conversational reference among senators to the financial which was the subject of the day's all absorbing topic of interest.

It is an undeniable fact that the conservative element among the Republican senators, which has been the mainstay of the administration, has been largely absent from the capital since the beginning of the year.

With the exception of a coterie of newspaper men chatting with Representative Crisp, of Georgia, the hall of the house was empty.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Acting on information from the treasury department to the effect that irregularities were suspected in the consular authentication of Canadian goods imported into the United States during the past twelve months, the secretary of state recently determined upon a thorough investigation of the United States consular service in Dominion of Canada.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The Star says: "A large number of the members of the Pan-American Monetary conference which meets here next week. It will be a dollar circulated not only in the United States, but in all the republics in the world."

The war department has received no information in regard to the reported invasion of the Cherokee strip. The department commander has standing instructions to keep the booters out at all hazards, and will have no trouble in carrying out the instructions to the letter.

Very few people know that the Farmers' Alliance has an Alliance in working order in this city. The local membership is not large, for the number of farmers in the district is necessarily small, and, as a fact,

there would be no organization at all were it not for the fact that numerous National Alliance officers are located here. This agricultural camp is known as Capital Alliance No. 22, and is under the jurisdiction of the State Alliance of Maryland.

LIVE STOCK INSPECTION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The secretary of agriculture has made an order closing all the ports, except St. Albans, in the collection district of Vermont against the importation of cattle, sheep and other ruminants, and swine, and also all such animals imported through this collection district must enter at the port of St. Albans, where they must be inspected by a veterinary inspector of the department of agriculture. The secretary says this is done as a protection against the introduction into this country from Canada of any contagious disease affecting the domestic animals. This order is also designed to secure the removal, if possible, of prohibitory restrictions now placed upon animals exported from this country.

THE PROCTOR RUMOR.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary Proctor's sleigh was wrecked this morning. His wife and daughter were seriously injured. The sleigh was overturned on Pennsylvania avenue when the two horses attached to it took fright and tore down the street. The accident was done by a colored man named Johnson, who was thrown out and badly injured. The horses were thrown out and badly injured.

PENSION CLAIMS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—A statement has been prepared at the pension office that shows that up to December 20, claims have been filed under the act of July 27, 1862, for original widow claims, 124,409; original widow claims, 55,681; additional claims of others on file, 301,363.

THE LAWS OF KANSAS.

The Report of the Revision Committee in the Hands of the Governor.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 27.—The committee appointed at the last session of the legislature to revise and codify the existing laws of the state of Kansas, has completed its labors and handed its report to the governor this evening. Following are the most important changes proposed: Provisions for free public schools; a state board of public works; the election, instead of appointment, of railroad commissioners; a state board of charity; a sweeping reorganization of the county officers; the taxing of the actual values of property.

The report proposes to limit the privileges of state banks, and to provide for the incorporation of banks with a capital stock of not less than \$10,000, fifty per cent to be paid in. These banks are prohibited from loaning money on real estate, and from engaging in trade and commerce. The bill proposes heavy penalties for the violation of the law, and provides for the dissolution of the association by the district court upon the demand of the owners of two-thirds of the capital stock.

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### EUROPEAN NEWS.

NEWS AND NOTES FROM THE FRENCH CAPITAL.

The Pope's Encyclical on the Social Question to be Published Before Easter.

The Prohibitory Character of the New French Tariff—Another Manifesto Issued by the German Socialists.

A Spurious Lymph Being Palmed Off on the Public—Professor Koch's Refusal to Make His Discovery Public—The Burning of the Shanghai.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Advices from Rome state that the pope has finished the draft of his encyclical upon the social question. His holiness has been working on the subject for over a year. The pope considers the question the greatest of the present time, and the encyclical will be the crowning act of his work in this direction. The date of its publication has not been fixed, but the correspondent of the Associated Press is enabled to give the substance of the encyclical now.

The encyclical will review and expound the whole question affecting wage workers. First, his holiness will develop the principles of justice which economy is founded, and the dominant idea of distributive justice which should regulate the intercourse of men. The pope will hold that distributive and restorative justice is needed to prevent misery and sweating on one side, and exorbitant riches and tyranny on the other.

The pope's physician says his holiness may live for some time yet, as he has a robust constitution, and is suffering from no infirmity. Notwithstanding the protests of Minister Robert, minister of foreign affairs, and the minister of commerce, against the augmentation of the tariff duties, the representatives of the government bill, the committee continued undisturbed in the hope of securing a close market for agricultural products. The agricultural element is stronger in the chamber and the senate than the industrial element, and will vote the bill unless their demands are considered.

SENATORIAL ELECTIONS will be held on Jan. 4, and the Republicans expect to gain six representatives. Col. Peppoff, chief of the Russian police, in an interview today, accused the English government of fomenting discontent, and charges the Socialist, Mendelssohn, who is now in England, with inciting the murder of the Czar's son, and with paying for the commission of the crime.

The father of Gabrielle Bonaparte, the accomplice of Michael Ryndak, the murderer of M. Gouffé, said today in a public view that he considered the verdict a just one, and that his only wish regarding his daughter was that she might die quickly. He said that since her death he had nothing could be done to check her perverse instincts.

GERMAN AFFAIRS.

The Manifesto of the Socialists—Professor Koch's Lymph—Notes of the Week.

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—The socialist leaders issued a manifesto today. The document is a determination of the socialist party to rally the peasants around the flag of socialist reforms. Besides the declarations in the manifesto, the socialist party is making a number of particularly arrangements for lecture tours, the dissemination of socialist leaflets, and the formation of rural leagues, which are already being organized in the provinces. The nature of the manifesto was known to the emperor before its issuance, but he is instructed that nothing should be done to suppress it.

It has been discovered that a spurious imitation of Prof. Koch's lymph has been manufactured, and a number of cases have been reported in which medical men have been deceived into purchasing the bogus preparation. The agents of Prof. Koch have been unable to discover the manufacturers of the counterfeit. The police are working on the cases.

The medical profession throughout the empire gets more and more indignant over the manner in which the Koch lymph is distributed, and Prof. Koch's secrecy concerning its production. Prof. Koch, in an interview with an English physician, who urged the professor to disclose the whole process, got very wrath at the proposal, and declared that he had the right to do as he pleased with the discovery. The Tagblatt avails this position as scandalous, and says the rapacity of the clique should be severely criticized, and will be when a motion is introduced in the landtag for a grant of 3,000,000 marks for Prof. Koch and his assistants, and fifteen per cent on the annual sales of the lymph.

WESTERN RAILROADS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—With or without a president's agreement, a steady and healthy improvement in the western rail road situation is confidently expected by managers from this time forward. Some of them attach little importance to the proposed president's scheme, and are inclined to think that to put it in operation at this time would be useless. Said a manager this afternoon: "What we need now is not a new agreement, but a supplementary to the present one. The present agreement is good enough as far as it goes, and all that is needed is a supplementary to the present one. The present agreement is good enough as far as it goes, and all that is needed is a supplementary to the present one."

PROLIFIC.

ORANGE, N. J., Dec. 27.—The doctors in this vicinity are marveling over a most extraordinary occurrence. On Nov. 1st, last, Mrs. John Sullivan of Parrow street, this city, gave birth to a baby which was strong and healthy and is doing well. Mrs. Sullivan recovered from her sickness and proceeded with her household duties on Tuesday last, when she gave birth to a second child, also strong and healthy. The attending physician, surprised at this abnormal event, called in a dozen of the most prominent physicians in Orange. Although an old practitioner himself he could not account for the occurrence, nor could his colleagues.

### REACH THE PEOPLE.

You can reach some of the people all the time.  
You can reach all the people some of the time.  
You can reach all the people all the time, through the EAGLE.

lives did so by jumping overboard. In order to escape the flames. Others met their deaths through swamping of the clumsily lowered and over-crowded boats.

FOREIGN NOTES.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Mr. William O'Brien has not yet seen Mr. Parnell, but it is said he expected to meet him next week.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—A telegram from Whitley, Yorkshire, announces the suicide of Walter Grimshaw, the eminent chess player and composer. He cut his throat this morning with a razor. No reasons are assigned for the deed.

GIBRALTAR, Dec. 27.—The Belgian steamer F. Vanderstuyven, from Odessa for London, foundered during a gale, Dec. 26. Six of the crew have arrived here.

GLASGOW, Dec. 27.—The railroad strike is seriously affecting all other branches of business. Many mills, factories and docks have closed down. Much suffering may follow to the poor classes, who depend for their bread upon their daily wages.

BENEATH THE ICE.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The ice broke today on the river Avon at Portobello bridge, Warwick. There were thousands of skaters on the surface at the time. A panic followed, and there was a rush for the shores. Many persons broke through, and were rescued with difficulty. Several disappeared under the ice and were drowned. Many of the skaters were rescued from drowning, but a large number are missing, and are supposed to have been drowned. The latest report is that seventeen bodies have been recovered, among them are several women.

AFTER THE STORM.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The people of this city awake this morning to the pleasant discovery that the signal service office had gone a trifle wrong in the forecast which the results failed to justify. Instead of a furious blizzard during the night, and streets blacked with snow this morning, a blue sky greeted the eyes of the citizens, and blowing into the people's blinded eyes, they found pleasant sunshine, light winds, a comparatively high temperature and only a light cover of snow on the ground—just enough to make sleighing practicable and enjoyable.

SUSQUEHANNA, Penn., Dec. 27.—Owing to the great fall of snow, the Jefferson division of the Erie railroad and the Pennsylvania division of the Delaware and Hudson have been blocked since Friday morning. On the Erie main line trains are running several hours late with two engines. Great snow plows were run over the Susquehanna and Jefferson divisions today.

CONCORD, N. H., Dec. 27.—Thirteen inches of snow came down during the storm. It ceased falling at an early hour this morning and today it is clear and bright.

CENTRAL KANSAS WHEAT.

ABILENE, Kan., Dec. 27.—Central Kansas wheat is all right. The farmers, who were worried considerably as to the heavy rains, are now in good spirits. Heavy rains, followed by freezing weather, have it is considered, put an end to all uneasiness. The fields have been closely pastured all the fall, and thus farmers saved much feed for their stock, a fact which has been of much benefit to them. It has too helped the wheat by destroying the insects which were so numerous with the much needed moisture and cold weather, not a chance remains for the insect. The acreage is very large, and the yield is expected to be good. The report of the largest cash business during the present holiday season of any in the past three years. There is a general feeling of better times ahead.

BELMONT'S HORSES SOLD.

BABYLON, L. I., Dec. 27.—The sale of the crack race horses of the late August Belmont brought hosts of prominent horsemen to this place today. Fully 500 people were present. The horses were sold as follows: Heliopolis, by the Jockey Club, \$25,000; St. Charles, to W. M. Barry, \$10,000; La Touca, to Hugh Ross, \$10,000; Flamingo, to F. McCall, \$5,000; Beauty, to J. A. McKee, \$5,000; Magistrate, to Keystone stable, \$5,000; St. Carlo, to W. H. Jennings, \$1,000; Mashie, to F. Eschner, \$1,000. The yearlings were sold at prices ranging from \$500 to \$6,000.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes:

RESERVE.....\$3,228,275  
LOANS.....\$1,066,400  
Specie.....\$3,333,000  
Legal tenders.....\$1,150,000  
Deposits.....\$1,750,000  
Circulation.....9,900

The banks now hold \$7,235,125 in excess of the requirements of the 10 per cent rule.

A SUBMARINE YACHT.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 27.—The Detroit Boat company is constructing a submarine craft 40 feet long, 9 feet beam and 14 feet depth of hold, with mechanism almost similar to that of the famous torpedo boat. Electric storage batteries will be used for storing oxygen, giving light and furnishing the motive power. The improvement is the latest in the line of the buoyancy of the craft, which will come to the surface as soon as the electric motor is stopped, whereas the machinery of the torpedo boat must be working to bring it to the surface. Besides a wheel at the stern there will be two wheels on either side. Turning an electric switch will cause the boat to rise or plunge deeper in the water. It is being built as a pleasure craft.

AUBURN PRISON SCORCHED.

AUBURN, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Fire broke out in the broom shop in Auburn prison at 7 o'clock this morning, and in a few minutes the flames had reached the adjacent shops. At 7:30 it was still burning fiercely. The prison fire is now under control. The broom shop was badly damaged, the store room of the collar shop was partly burned, and the chair shop was slightly damaged. It is not known how or where the fire started. Fred A. Murdoch and Joe Vaughn, firemen, while upon a ladder were precipitated into the ruins by the falling of the wall and seriously injured. They are now in the prison hospital. The loss is \$15,000, all of which falls on the state, as there was no insurance.

HERESY REWARDED.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 27.—Rev. O. D. Milligan, who, with a number of others, was recently suspended from the performance of pastoral functions by the Pittsburgh presbytery of the Reformed Presbyterian church, for heretical utterances, was presented with a purse containing \$500 gold by the members of his late congregation last night. The church presided over by Mr. Milligan has been closed since the latter's suspension, the congregation refusing to accept the offer of the presbytery to supply the pulpit.

UNION PACIFIC LABORERS.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 27.—The situation of the discharged laborers from the Union Pacific's Puget Sound extension is growing more serious each day. There are now a thousand of these men in the city, and the number is increasing rapidly. Most of them are destitute and are unable to get money on their time checks, due December 26th. A large number are being cared for by the city. J. B. Smith & Co., the contractors, have been unable to get the money, and the men are growing desperate. One of the firm said that the Union Pacific had promised them \$300,000 this week. If the Union Pacific did not pay them, then they could not pay the men. They did not have the ready cash.

We are going to bring a big crowd and sell lots of goods in January. This sale will be a picnic for the trade. Mail orders filled as carefully as if customers were here. Send us a trial order.

## M. B. COHN,

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